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ICBM COMPLEX
USSR

LAUNCH SITE 55I

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PREFACE

This report, one of a series prepared in response to CIA Requirements C-DI5-82,972 and C-DI7-84,251 requesting detailed line drawings, to scale, of elements of the complex, supplements [] Olovyannaya ICBM Complex, USSR. 1/ The information contained herein is based on [] photography through [] Individual reports in the series will be updated periodically to reflect changes observed on subsequent photography.

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OLOVYANNAYA ICBM COMPLEX, USSR**LAUNCH SITE 55I**

Launch Site 55I of the Olovyannaya ICBM Complex (Figures 1 and 2), the control site for Launch Group I, is located at 50-58N 116-12E, approximately 16 nm northeast of the complex support facility. It consists of a completed Type IIID launch silo, a control facility, and a site support facility. The site was first seen in [] and can be negated in []

The control facility, which is still under construction, consists of a concrete control bunker and an associated arch-roofed building, neither of which is earth mounded as yet. The fenceline originally laid out to enclose an L-shaped electronics facility has been greatly reduced (Figure 1), and the facility was never installed.

Several pieces of missile-handling equipment were on the graded access in the vicinity of the silo in [] (Figure 1). Three buildings (Items 1, 2, and 3, Figure 2) are second-generation flat-roofed support buildings. They all have windows, and will not be earth mounded. 2/ The buried tank (Item 4, Figure 2) could not be mensurated; however, similarly located tanks at other Type IIID sites appear to vary in size.

The dimensions of the silo door (Item 5, Figure 2) are standard for Type IIID silos. They have been determined from this and many other Type IIID doors mensurated on excellent quality photography from various missions.

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FIGURE 1. LAUNCH SITE 55I, OLOVYANNAYA ICBM COMPLEX.

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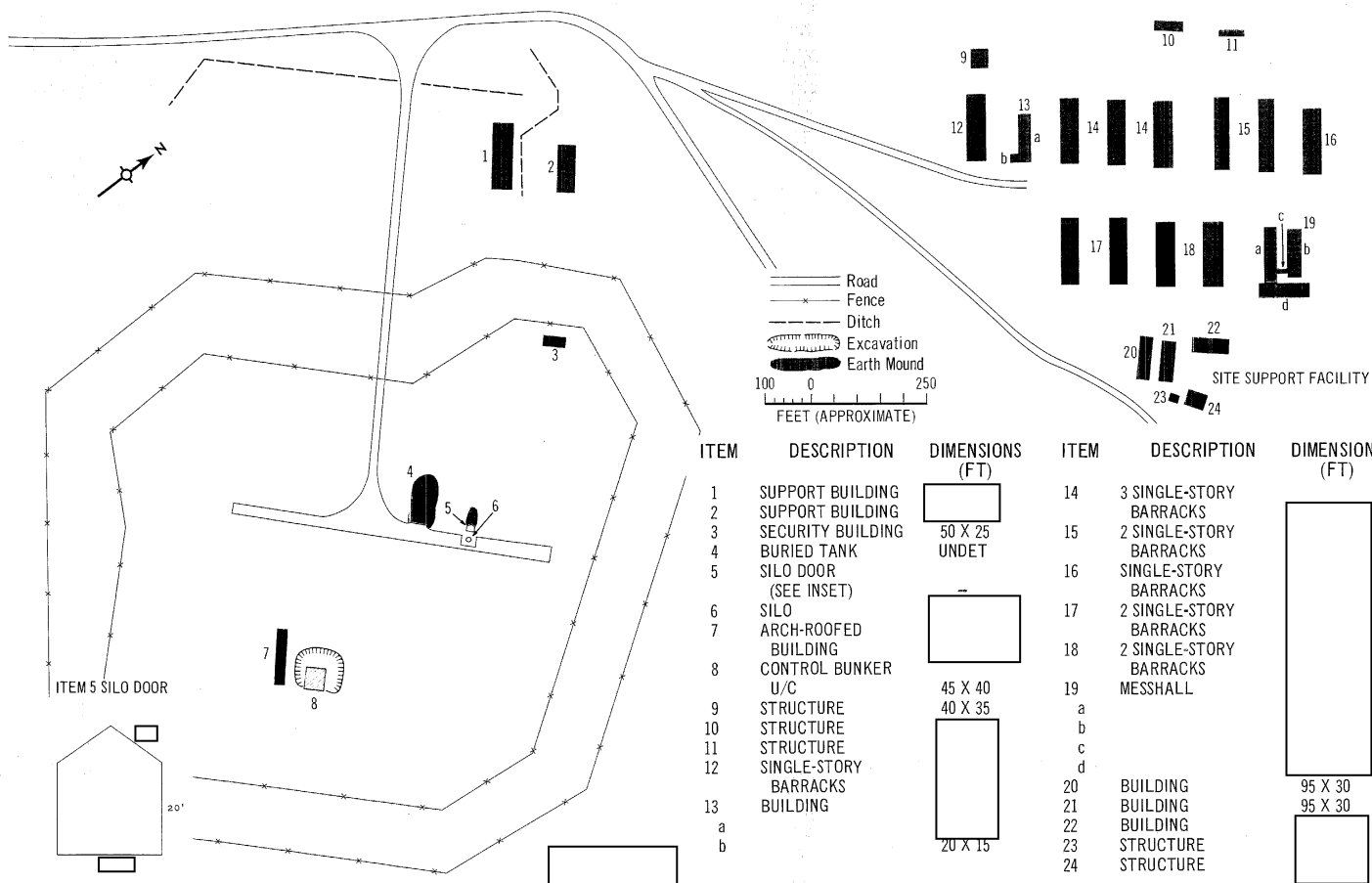


FIGURE 2. LAYOUT OF LAUNCH SITE 551, OLOVYANNAYA ICBM COMPLEX.

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REQUIREMENTS

- CIA. C-D15-82,972
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